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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Director

AT Ray Cline has asked the Agency to send him what he calls his personal files (2 safe drawers) which he accumulated while he was [ ] and DDI. When he was informed that only the Director could authorize release of the papers, he requested a list of the documents.

The attached list indicates that the files contain a few items of personal correspondence, but many of the papers reflect the conduct of Agency business or Ray's participation in policy discussions in his capacity as a senior Agency officer. The papers are concerned mainly with China, Cuba and Vietnam.

I have brought this matter to your attention because I am reluctant to release even the attached list of the contents of Ray's files without your authorization.

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Attachment as stated.